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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313

Dear Sir,

A notice of non-compliant amendment was mailed on 05/24/05 for the above-identified patent application which objected to the claim status identifier of "presently amended". Accordingly, please enter the following correction to the amended claims: